Gift Selecting Week

At "The Dependable Store" A Plan to Encourage Sane and Satisfactory Christmas Shopping



To encourage early shoppingto relieve the inevitable "eleventh hour" Christmas rush-to emphasize the advantages and satisfaction of selecting gifts NOW-the next six days have been designated as "GIFT SELECTING WEEK." The whole store joins in a concerted effort to bring to the attention of Christmas shoppers the decided benefits to be secured by doing all your Christmas shopping this week.

To make "GIFT SELECTING WEEK" a notable event, we have arranged many important MONEY-SAVING SALES. The holiday stocks are now at their best-and things suitable for gifts will be featured throughout the week.

Purchases sent free to any part of he United States by Parcel Post. Store Helps For Christmas Shoppers

Every boxable article we'll box free of charge. You can reserve free of charge.

You can reserve any gift article
on a small deposit.

Your mail or phone orders will be
carefully filled.

A Transfer Shopping Card will
simplify and quicken your shopping.
Engraving and stamping free.



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Smart, Fashio nable Garments Usually Priced at \$20.00

Tomorrow we feature a special sale of the famous Salt's Fur Fabric Coats at a price that sets a new record for low selling. The styles, richness, high quality and serviceability of Salt's Fur Fabrics are familiar to every woman. The styles are the very newest and

Russian Blouse Coat of Salt's Matelamb, a swagger model with fur-trimmed "Chin Chin" collar and deep fur-trimmed cuffs. The fabric looks like real baby lamb. Satin lined throughout and guaranteed.

Military Coat of Salt's Arabian Lamb, a fabric that closely resembles the real Persian lamb; 42-inch model, with wide belt, pleated side effect, satin lined throughout. Many other tailored and sport models to choose from. All sizes.

100,000 Handkerchiefs Christmas

At Prices Much Less Than Regular

We gathered these special lots of Handkerchiefs from various sources way last summer and ob tained concessions in the price that we now turn to your advantage in this Christmas Sale. You will do well to supply your gift needs tomorrow while the assortments are complete and the val-

At 5c

women's Colored Border Initial Handkerchiefs. Hemstitched Handker-chiefs. Women's Wid Handkerchiefs.

Women's Colored Rolled Edge Handkerchiefs.
Women's Colored Embroidered Corner Handker-kiefs.
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Women's Pure Linen Lace Edge Handker-chiefs.
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Men's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs.

Women's Embroidered Lawn Handkerchiefs.

Handkerchiefs.

Men's Pure Linen Initial
Hemstitched Handkerchiefs.

Hemstitched Handker-Men's Colored Border Hemstitched Handker-chiefs. Men's Pure Linen Hem-chiefs. Men's Pure Linen Hem-stitched Handkerchiefs.

At 12½c At 25c Women's Embroidered Corner Handkerchiefs.

Women's Pure Linen Embroidered Corner Handkerchiefs.

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Women's Wide Lace Edge broidered Handker-dandkerchiefs. Women's Colored Rolled Women's Colored Embroidered Corner Handker- Lace Edge Handker-

Women's Pure Linen

Men's Pure Linen Ini

work; sheer quality linen. 98c

Select From Our Complete Stocks the Always Popular Gifts of

Gloves for Women and Children

Gloves enjoy a never-ending popularity for gifts. We offer the world's best makes of glovesand you may be certain that a pair of gloves selected from our stock will give complete pleasure and satisfaction to the recipient.

Misses' Two-clasp Glace Kid Gloves, in white and tan; also Cape and Mocha Gloves, lined or unlined. Gray and tan. Women's French Kid Novelty Gloves, two-clasp style, with three rows of heavy crochet stitching; in self, black with white with \$2.00 white, white with black and pigall.....

"Hte Jouvin" French Kid Gloves.
two-clasp style; made of the finest
selected skins obtainable. In
black, white, tan,
black with white and
white with black
stitching; all sizes... \$1.50

Boys' and Girls' Cape Gauntlet Gloves, fleece lined; black and tan; also Boys' Velour Gauntlets, with leather palms; all sizes; black and oxford.



Laurette Imported French Lambskin Gloves, two-clasp style, in white. \$1.00

Infants' and Children's All-wool Mittens, in white, cardinal, gray, brown, black 25c and navy. Pair.... Women's English Cape Walking Gloves, one-clasp mannish style; in perfect shades of tan, also black and white. Regular \$1.25 values. Women's Mocha Gloves; on e-clasp style; gray only. \$1.00

Worth \$1.25.

16 - button - length French Kid Gloves, made of the finest selected skins; in white only. All sizes

Glove Dept.—Section No. 3—First

And Pack

A high-grade pack of Playing Cards, with gold edges and pic-torial backs, put up in attractive black leath-er card case. Special at 49c. Name or initial stamp-ed in gold letters ed in gold letters FREE OF CHARGE.

Stationery Dept .-Music Rolls 69c Values at.. 49c

Excellent gift for a musical student. Good Quality, Full Size Music Rolls. Sold regularly at 69c each. Specially priced for this sale at 49c. Music Dept.—Basement.

Leather Card Case | GIFT SLIPPERS For Men, Women



Children's Fur-top Juliettes, of red felt.

Sizes 6 to 8 at 69c.

Sizes 8½ to 11 at 75c.

Children's Comfy Slippers, of red and blue felt.

Sizes 8½ to 11 at 85c. Sizes 11½ to 2 at \$1.00

Women's Felt Juliettes, ribbon and fur trimmed styles; in black, gray, blue and brown; sizes 3 to 8.

\$1.00 to \$2.50

95c to \$1.50

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quality merchandise sells for in exclusive men's shops.

Men's All-wool Double-face Golf Cloth Smoking Jackets, bound with silk cord and finished with heavy \$3.98

Men's \$4 Blanket Bath Robe

heautiful combinations of blue and gray, blue and red, brown and tan, gray and red, brown and white, gray and white, lavender and gray, red and gray, etc. Made with neck cord and finished with heavy waist girdles.

Useful and Acceptable Gifts in Women's Bath Robes

and Flannelette Kimonos Specially Priced for "Gift Selecting Week"

> Women's Genuine Beacon Cloth Bath Robes, en tirely new colorings; dark, medium and light patterns; also Indian colorings; with and without collars; finished with heavy cord. All sizes. \$1.98

Women's Beacon Cloth Bath Robes, rich colorings, both light and medium colors; with and without collars; trim-mings of messaline, in contrasting colors. Special values at

\$3.98 and \$4.98

Women's Flannelette Kimonos, entirely new designs and colorings; empire yokes, with dainty pipings and borders; light and dark colors; all sizes. Regand borders; light and dark colors; all sizes. Are ular \$1.25 values

Women's Kimonos, of duckling fleece, one style without collar and piped with satin and buttons; another style with satin trimmings and pretty floral borders. In lavender, blue, tan, pink, red, gray and navy blue. Empire waist. Regular \$1.75

Coupon Sales

50c Rag Rugs, 29c

THIS COUPON and 29c for Rag Rugs, size 25x36 inches; hit and miss designs; new All colorings. (S)

Window Shades, 25c THIS COUPON and 25c for Opaque Cloth Window Shades, perfect

Shades, perfect quality, mounted on good, strong spring rollers; in white, light, med-ium and dark green and ecru colors; complete with crochet ring to match. (S)

\$2.50 Folding Screens, \$1.25 THIS COUPON and \$1.25 for Fold-

folds; 62 inches high; fumed oak finish frames; filled with plain green or brown and figured green silkolines. (S (Fourth Floor.)

\$2.00 Couch Cevers, \$1.10 oriental stripes and figures; best colorings; fringed or plain; 50 inches

wide, 2% yards long. (S) \$2.00 and \$2.50 Pictures, \$1.25 THIS COUPON and \$1.25 for Framed Pictures; gilt or dark wood

moldings; sizes 16x24, 14x24 and 14x28 inches Large assortment of subjects. (S) Children's Bloomers, 25c

button-hole band and elastic knee; well made; sizes 4 to 10 years. (S)

Infants' Slips, 22c THIS COUPON and 22c for In-fants Long Nain-sock Slips, bishop and yoke styles, made with deep learns (S)

hems.

Women's Petticoats, 44c

Beys' \$1.50 Pants, 98c THIS COUPON and 98c for Boys'

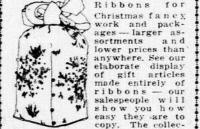
Navy Blue Serge K nickerbocker Pants; sizes 8 to 17 years. (S) Hose, 29c

THIS COUPON
and 29c for Women's Lisle Hose,
with fancy lace
boot and clocks;
full fashioned
foot; double sole,
high spliced heel
and toe; gurter

and toe; gurter tops; black and colors. (S)

EVERYTHING NEEDED IN

Holiday Ribbons for



made entirely of ribbons—our salespeople will show you how easy they are to copy. The collection includes many kinds of Bags. Purses, Coat Hangers, Tie Racks, Ribbon Cases, Pin Cushions, etc., in a wealth of charming colors.

Beautiful Ribbons, for fancy work, hair bows and sashes, up to 6 inches wide, in dresden, satin stripes and floral effects, self stripes, moires, satins, satinstriped moires and other patterns; all the desirable light col-

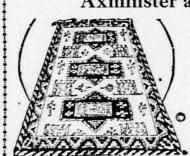
all the desirable light colors and combinations: 19c Holly Ribbons, for tying gifts

No. 1, 5-yd. bolts.
No. 1½, 5-yd. bolts.
Ribbon Dept.—First Floor. 59c Table Damask Full 2 Yards Wide, at 39c

Two unusual features about this table damask sale—the desirable width (two yards wide) and the excellent quality. We bought 3,000 yards at a concession. A fine mercerized Satin Table Damask, with rich, permanent finish, in six pretty patterns. Good, heavy, firm woven grade, that will give splendid service. Tomorrow at 39c a yard instead of 59c.

Linen Dept—K Street Annex.

GREATEST RUG VALUES on Record Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs \$16.95



They are 9x12-foot, largest room size rugs, in the soft, rich deep made in one piece. Strictly perfect quality, fresh new rugs, made in one piece. Strictly perfect quality, fresh new rugs, made for the spring season, 1916. Choice of a wide range of artistic designs, in oriental, floral, medallion and conventional patterns, showing color combinations to suit every room decoration. 9x12 Close-woven Wool Brussels

Ox12 Axminster Rugs and Heavy-weight Seamless Brussels Rugs, in a large assortment of floral, medallion and conventional designs. Colorings to suit any room decoration. Values worth \$22.50......

Never in the history of Rug selling have we been able to offer such a wonderful range of beautiful patterns and colorings, and such excellent grades at this low price-and that despite the advanced prices due to the scarcity of raw wools and dyestuffs. pile Axminsters and Wilton Velvets-every one seamless-

Finest Grade Seamless Axminster and Wilton Velvet Rugs, made by the Alex. Smith Carpet Co.; 9x12 large room size; heavy, close woven grade, with deep, histrous pile; in oriental, medallion and conventional designs. Regular \$35.00 values.......

9x12 Axminster Rugs, in a large assortment of handsome floral, medallion and conventional designs; rich color combinations. Worth \$30.00

Art Dept.—K Street Annex.

(First Floor, Entrance From 7th Street)

Men's Genuine Springtex Ribbed Bnibriggan Underwear, heavy weight; shirts with French neck and silk fronts; drawers with sateen drawers with sateen waistband and extra set-in seat. Regular 59c

nations. Values \$4.98 worth \$7.50 and \$8 Men's "Notair" Sweaters, made with V-shaped necks; in navy blue, brown, light and dark gray; medium and heavy weights. \$2.85

est designs. Values worth \$5 and \$3.95 Men's \$5.00 "Notair" Sweaters, cardigan or shaker knit weaves; V necks or roll collar styles; all light or dark gray, \$3.95

Best Gifts for "Him" Bath Robes and Smoking Jackets

Robes, Smoking Jackets, Lounging Robes, Underwear and other Furnishings at prices that are lower than the same

Stocks are now at the floodtide of completeness-everything a man likes to receive is here-House Coats, Bath



Bath and Lounging Robes; Bath Robes finished with full

roll collar, cord at neck and

waist girdle; Lounging Robes

made with silk cord binding,

notch or roll collars and waist girdle. All this season's new-est designs. Val-

Greatest Ostrich Plume Value Ever Presented to Washington Women



\$2.50 Ostrich Plumes Tomorrow at

These Handsome Ostrich Plumes are 18 inches long and 11 inches wideextra fine quality, with large heads and thick fibers. Come in white, pink, black, light blue, copenhagen, old rose, brown, champagne and mais.

Millinery Dept.—Second Floor.

Importer's Samples of Centerpieces!

Worth 75c, \$1 49c

quality Japanese Renaissance Centerpieces that will interest every one looking for acceptable

Austrian Drawnwork Scarfs and Squares, hemstitched and with one row of drawnwork. Scarfs are 18x50; squares are 30x 30. Regular 25c values.

A timely purchase of an importer's line of samples of fine

30 inches round and square, with hand drawn and embroidery centers. New and artistic de-signs, that will please the most critical housewife. Choice at 49c.

40-Inch All-Silk Crepe de Chine \$2 Dictionaries at 98c Beautiful Quality, Sold QQ

Regularly at \$1.50 Yard OOC 40 inches wide Box Loom Crepe de Chine, all pure silk, extra heavy, firm-woven quality, with a rich, crepy finish that proclaims its high grade at a glance. Ideal for street, afternoon and

evening frocks.

Choice of all wanted shades, including white, flesh, light blue, old rose, lavender, nile, peach, mais, silver, battleship gray, wistaria, reseda, golden brown, African brown, king's blue, Russian green, Belgian blue, Copenhagen blue, navy blue and black.



19c and 25c Gift Perfumes ! 12c

tional values at 39c.

Yard-wide Mohawk Bleached Cotton, Extra fine, close woven quality, free from starch. Sold regularly at 125gc 678C

S1x90 Seamless Blenched Sheets,

59c Double-Bed Sheets

Strictly Perfect Quality ...

Toilet Soap 6c

A special underprice lot of Double-bed Size Bleached

from dressing. Hand torn and ironed, finished with 3-inch

hem. Not seconds—but first quality perfect sheets. Excep-

12½c Outing Flannels Heavy Fleece Quality . . . 834C

pink and light blue. Soft, heavy fleece quality for making

warm winter garments. Special at 84/c yard.

100 pieces of 27-inch Outing Flannels, in white, cream,

Men's Military Hairbrushes 98c Pair

THIS COUPON and 98c for Men's "Keepelean" Military Hairbrushes; plain ebony finish, also with pretty stering silver mountings. Pair in box. (8)

Doll Trunk: 16 inches long, covered with gray canvas: 98c has separate tray..... Sheets, made of heavy, serviceable quality sheeting cotton, free

built \$1.89 Storm King Steering Sled; sheet steel knees, crucible steel runners; hardwood top; 98c 32-inch-length sled..... Doll's Wash Set, wringer, clothes horse, washboard, 25c

Large Size Oak Rocker, spindle back; cane \$1.29 Mind - Reader Blocks; helps the child to learn the \$1.00 Imported Track Train Set; 5 pieces of large gauge track. Large engine, coach and \$1.00

ete.

Lurge Size Gypsy Wagon; wood bottom and side; canvas hood; two walking 49c horses Wheelbarrow, wood bottom, sheet steel sides; very 89c large wheel

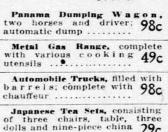
Tool Chest. Various tools in a strongly made tin-lined 59c Large Size Crokinole, Highly polished; \$1.25 79c value



American Lead Soldiers; ten men, tent and gun; sewed on Choice of American Lead Soldiers; ten men, tent and gun; sewed on tray in a neat box, Choice of volunteers, sailors, Indi- 98C

Hook and Ladder. Two galloping horses, ladders, 49c loping horses, ladders, driver and tillerman.... Hill-Climber Automobile 49c

Doll's Iron Stove, with 19c several pots



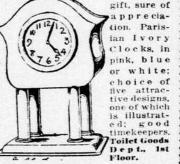
Shoo-Fly, with hardwood runners, natural finish body; corduroy seat, wicker \$2.98 backs and sides..... Humpty-Dumpty Sets; five pieces; various \$1.00

tender and four 98c coaches Schoenhut's 12-key Pi- 98c

neer Imported China Ten Sets, 23

59c Gas Lights With This Coupon

\$1.50 Parisian Ivory Clocks, 98c



Christmas Aprons

25c and 50c

25c and 50c Apron Dept., Third Floor.

\$1 Insured 10c Bottles of Fountain "Three-in-One" **Syringes** Machine Oil THIS COUPON and 69c for \$1 Fountain Syringes, 2-qt. size; red molded rubber—no seams, Com-plete with fittings, (8)

6c With this Coupon Shopping Bags

Regular 25c

Practical Gifts for Girls



Girls' Wool Scarf Sets, with Billy Burke caps: in rose, copenhagen, gray, green and brown. Also new checked effects: scarfs finished with deep fringe. Special values at.

Girls' Dresses, of rep, in copenhagen, pink and white; bolero jacket effects, prettily embroidered; others with yokes and smocking; loose belts and plaited skirts: sizes 6 to 14 years. Regular 31.25 values.

rubberized material; in tan; close-fitting collars and cuffs; including a \$2.98

Children's Corduroy Coats, in brown, copenhagen and navy blues; close-fitting collars and loose belt; finished with buttons; all sizes from 2 to 6 years of age. Worth \$5.00.....

Sewing Silk 2 Spools

5c Table Tumblers Six for

THIS COUPON and 14c for SIX Thin-blown Crystal Glass Table Tum-blers; clear quality and full size. Reg-

Women's 50c

Regular 25c Tyree's Powder 15c THIS COUPON and 15c for regular Zie size box of Tyree's Antiseptic Powder, the well known germ-

27-inch Bleached Capton Plan-

nel, heavy, close nap quality. Worth 121/2e $9^3/4c$

yard .



White Wool Embroidered Flan-

Crocket Bed Spreads, double-

raised Marseilles designs. Worth \$1.50. \$1.19

45x36 Bleached Pillowennes.

heavy quality. Worth 12/2C

15c Cans of Talcum Powder 8c THIS COUPON and

nel, in handsome silk embroidered designs, suitable for infants' wear. Worth 590 48c City Delivery Wagon.
Two horses, driver and barrels 98c



Hay Wagon. Red painted slat sides; two walking 49c

Velocipede, 22-inch front wheels, one-half-inch rubber tires; adjustable saddle bars and spring leather saddle. Nick-eled handle-posts and \$4.98 cork grips

barrels; complete with 98c Japanese Tea Sets, consisting of three chairs, table, three dolls and nine-piece china 29c set; worth 50c...... Oak Rockers, hardwood sweeps and spindle back; cobbler seat. Worth \$1.39 \$1.00

Hill-Climber Street Cars; trolley pole and 98c motorman Automobile Fire Engine; good size; chauffeur and engi- 980

Target Game, including target gun and belt full of harmless ammunition; various sub- 49c Jects Toy Department—Basement.



Dainty Tea Aprous, of fine quality lawn, dotted swiss and dimities; entirely new trimmings of val lace, ribbon and embroid-eries. Large assortment of styles.

Maids' and Waitresses' Aprons, of white lawns, with and without bibs; hemstitching, embroidery and tucks; large and medium sizes.

THIS COUPON and 6c for TWO spools of Black sewing Silk; 100 - yard spools; for machine or